

ADMINISTRATION CHARGES AND TRANSACTION COSTS FOR 2024

This document sets out the costs and charges relevant to your plan in 2024. The Fund Costs and Charges section sets out the costs and charges specific to the funds that are available for you to invest in. The Product Charges section sets out the charges that are relevant whichever funds are invested in.

At the end of the document there are some illustrations of the cumulative effect over time of these costs and charges on some example pension pots.

Fund Costs and Charges

The table below shows the costs and charges taken in 2024 for each of the funds that are available on your plan. All these costs and charges are taken directly within the fund and are reflected in the daily fund prices. These costs and charges are in addition to the product charges set out in the next section.

- **Fund expenses** are the cost of the day to day activities of managing each fund. The figures shown are based on what the fund expenses have been in the past – they may vary over time and may be more or less than this in future.
- **Extra Yearly Charges** are additional charges taken by Fund Managers for running some funds. The figures shown are based on what the charges have been in 2024 - they may vary over time and may be more or less than this in future.
- **Transaction Costs** are the costs incurred as a result of the buying, selling, lending or borrowing of investments within the fund. The figures shown are based on what transaction costs have been in 2024 – they may vary over time and may be more or less than this in future.

SEDOL*	Fund	Fund Expense % (per year)	Extra Yearly Charge % (per year)	Transaction Cost % (per year)	Total Fund Cost % (per year)
0296683	Zurich Managed 1 EP	0.19	0.00	0.11	0.30
0296694	Zurich Equity Managed 1 EP	0.17	0.00	0.17	0.34
N/A	With Profits 2**	Note 1	0.00	0.07	0.07
N/A	With Profits 2a**	Note 1	0.00	0.07	0.07
N/A	With Profits 2b**	Note 1	0.00	0.07	0.07
0296672	Zurich Secure 1 EP	0.07	0.00	0.01	0.08
0296713	Zurich Global Select 1 EP	0.07	0.00	0.23	0.30
0297051	Zurich UK Equity 1 EP	0.20	0.00	0.42	0.62
0297095	Zurich European 1 EP	0.06	0.00	0.54	0.60
0297158	Zurich Asia Pacific 1 EP	0.08	0.00	0.30	0.38
0297136	Zurich Japan 1 EP	0.06	0.00	0.17	0.23
0297073	Zurich UK Opportunities 1 EP	0.16	0.00	0.09	0.25
0297114	Zurich American 1 EP	0.06	0.00	0.23	0.29
0297170	Zurich UK Fixed Interest 1 EP	0.14	0.00	0.01	0.15
0297318	Zurich Property 1 EP	0.54	0.00	0.15	0.69
B6QJ529	Zurich Aegon Ethical Equity 1 EP	0.03	0.75	0.10	0.88

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**These funds are closed to new investment. However, if you are already making regular payments into the fund then this can continue.

Note 1: For investment in With Profits 2/2a/2b, the expenses of managing the fund are not an explicit charge but are one of the factors that will influence the amount a plan pays out. You can find further information on how we manage the With-Profits Fund on our website at www.zurich.co.uk/with-profits in the “Unit Linked 90:10 with-profits” section.

Product Charges

These product charges are the standard charges applied to plans. Charges on some plans may be lower if a special deal was agreed when the plan was taken out. Zurich applies a discretionary cap to the charges taken on these plans and this may mean the costs and charges taken from your plan might be lower than the standard charges shown here.

Regular Product Charges These are ongoing charges that are currently applied to your pension plan. Depending on your circumstances, some of these may not apply.	
Capital Unit Charge	• This is 6.25% per year for monthly paid plans and 5.00% per year for annually paid plans. It is only taken from capital unit funds. • It is applied by reducing the number of capital units in your plan each month. • It is only taken until the retirement age you chose when your plan started. • This is taken by Zurich for setting up your plan and the payments into it. • Capital units reflect payments made during an initial period per payment level.
Annual Charge	• This is 1.00% per year.* • It is taken directly within the fund and is reflected in the daily fund prices. • This is taken by Zurich for running your plan.
Policy Charge	• This was £8.46 per month in 2024 and increases each year with inflation. • It is applied by reducing the number of units in your plan each month. • This is taken by Zurich for running your plan. • Owing to the discretionary cap Zurich is applying to your charges, this charge is currently being waived.

*For investments in With Profits 2/2a/2b, there is no explicit annual management charge, the expenses of managing the fund and the plans is one of the factors that will influence the amount the plan pays out. In recent years the reduction to the fund in respect of costs has been under 1% each year; in our illustrative examples we have assumed a fund manager charge of 1.20% each year though actual charges may vary. You can find further information on how we manage the With-Profits Fund on our website at www.zurich.co.uk/with-profits in the “Unit Linked 90:10 with-profits” section.

Charges on Payments

These are charges applied to any payments into your pension plan.

Bid Offer Spread	• Payments to your plan are used to purchase units in your chosen fund(s). • Units are bought at the offer price but valued and sold at the bid price. • The bid price of each fund is 5% lower than the offer price of the same fund. • The difference represents a 5% charge on each payment into your plan.
Allocation Rate	• Payments to your plan are used to purchase units in your chosen fund(s). • We may adjust the amount of each payment before allocating it to units. • This adjustment may increase or decrease the amount we invest. • The level of this adjustment varies depending on a variety of circumstances. • If you are currently making payments into your plan and would like further details of the allocation rates applying to your plan, then please contact us using the information shown in your annual statement.

Charges for additional benefits you may have chosen to include on your plan, such as life cover or waiver of payment, are not included in the above.

Illustrative Examples

The illustrative examples below show the cumulative effect of costs and charges on the value of the pension pot for a specimen member. The table shows projected pot values in today's prices after allowing for inflation, before and after charges and costs are deducted. We have shown illustrations for a representative sample of four funds:

- With Profits 2/2a/2b EP is the fund most commonly invested in by plans of this type.
- Zurich Japan 1 EP is the equity fund with the lowest costs and charges.
- Zurich UK Equity 1 EP is the fund with the highest costs and charges.
- Zurich UK Fixed Interest 1 EP is an example of a fund invested in fixed interest securities.

The illustrative examples allow for Zurich's discretionary charge cap. Note that the exact effect of costs and charges on any plan will depend on the precise circumstances of the plan and these examples are indicative only. The notes after the examples confirm the growth rates assumed for each fund along with other key assumptions made.

Specimen Member – A member who is no longer paying premiums and whose current pension pot is £10,000.

Projected pension pot in today's money (£)								
Fund choice								
	With Profits 2/2a/2b EP		Zurich Japan 1 EP		Zurich UK Equity 1 EP		Zurich UK Fixed Interest 1 EP	
Years	Before all charges + costs deducted	After all charges + costs deducted	Before all charges + costs deducted	After all charges + costs deducted	Before all charges + costs deducted	After all charges + costs deducted	Before all charges + costs deducted	After all charges + costs deducted
1	10,100	10,000	10,300	10,200	10,400	10,300	10,100	10,000
3	10,400	10,100	11,100	10,700	11,500	11,000	10,400	10,100
5	10,700	10,200	11,900	11,300	12,600	11,700	10,700	10,200
10	11,600	10,400	14,200	12,800	15,900	13,800	11,500	10,500
15	12,500	10,600	16,900	14,500	20,200	16,300	12,400	10,700
20	13,500	10,900	20,200	16,400	25,500	19,200	13,300	11,000
25	14,600	11,100	24,000	18,600	32,200	22,700	14,400	11,300
30	15,700	11,400	28,700	21,000	40,800	26,800	15,500	11,600
35	17,000	11,600	34,200	23,800	51,500	31,500	16,600	11,900
40	18,300	11,900	40,800	27,000	65,200	37,200	17,900	12,200

Notes

1. Projected pension pot values are shown in today's terms and do not need to be reduced further for the effect of future inflation.
2. The starting pot size is assumed to be as stated for each specimen member.
3. Inflation is assumed to be 2.5% each year.
4. It is assumed that no further contributions are paid.
5. Values shown are estimates and are not guaranteed.
6. The charges assumed are as shown in the Fund Costs and Charges and Product Charges sections above. The illustrations assume the specimen member no longer has capital units.
7. The projected growth rate for each fund is as follows:
 - With Profits 2/2a/2b EP: 1.5% above inflation.
 - Zurich Japan 1 EP: 3.5% above inflation.
 - Zurich UK Equity 1 EP: 4.8% above inflation.
 - Zurich UK Fixed Interest 1 EP: 1.4% above inflation.